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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SHINICHI HATAE ET AL.

Application No.: 09/253,783

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For: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,
DATA COMMUNICATION METHOD,
AND DATA COMMUNICATION
APPARATUS

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